

P. Pleasant. N. J.
July 13th. / 89

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of the Mint, is boarding in the
same house with me at Point
Pleasant.

She has a very sore finger
from a slight wound, but
much aggravated by a run
down system.

She was obliged to

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of Phila. Dr. Weir Mitchell's
Assistant, who has a Cottage
here.

He opened the finger
this morning and put her
hand and arm in splints -
he sent a Certificate of her
case to the Head of her De-
partment.

But she felt, that if you
heard from her personally,
(through me, for she cannot
use her right hand) you
would understand that it
was from no desire to pro-
long her vacation, but an
absolute necessity, as she

would be of no earthly use in
the Mint till her finger is better.

The Doctor is very encourag-
ing and she herself has hopes
that she will soon be able to
resume her duties.

She sends you her kindest
regards hoping that you are
right well in which I most
heartily join her.

Very Sincerely
Mary Funcher.

Pt. Pleasant, N.J.

July 13. 1889

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Illness of Miss Gibbon,

Recd
July 15. 1889

Pl. Pleasant Beach

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Mrs. J. Steel Esq

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Dear Sir:

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has applied to me for

aid in treating a very

painful phlegmon of the

^{middle} finger of her right hand -

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When fit for duty I will
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Very. Yrs.

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July 13/89

(of 331 So. 16th)
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J. M. Tayer. M.D.

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Gibson

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[Letter One:]

[Abstract:] Illness of Miss Gibbon.

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[Letter Two:]

Pt. Pleasant Beach, N.J.

July 13, 1889

Wm. S. Steel, Esq.

Dear Sir:

Miss Kate Gibbon has applied to me for aid in treating a very painful phlegmon of the middle finger of her right hand. This must run down in health too & needs care here for some time when fit for duty I will report to you – or before if you desire any added information.

Respy. Yours.
J. Moduor Taylor, M.D.
(of 331 So. 16th St.)
Philada.